

European Cadet and Junior Championships 2017

Plovdiv (Bulgaria)

28 February - 09 March 2017

INFORMATION for DELEGATIONS

I – Officials and designated referees

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| POZDNYAKOV | Stanislav | RUS | EFC President |
| GEUTER | Max | GER | EFC Secretary General – Protocol |
| KRALIK | Julius | SVK | EFC Technical Director |
| SLUPSKI | Jacek | POL | President of Directoire technique |
| POLYCHRONIADOU | Aristea | GRE | Member of Directoire technique |
| KOVACIC | Sanjin | CRO | Member of Directoire technique |
| SHALAMANOVA | Vesela | BUL | Member of Directoire technique |
| HEHN | Juergen | GER | Medical Commission delegate |
| YAMAGUCHI | Katsumi | JPN | FIE Referee´s Commission delegate |
| LORENZO | Javier | ESP | EFC Referee´s Commission delegate |
| GNOCATO | Margherita | ITA | SEMI Commission delegate - cadets |
| HUGGINS | Peter | GBR | SEMI Commission delegate - juniors |

EFC Referees:

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| Valiyev, Fikrat | AZE | Kosa, Miklos | HUN |
| Kuryshka, Andrei | BLR | Pastore, Domenico | ITA |
| De Wit, Kevin | BEL | Civiero, Ambre | SUI |
| Madr, Vilem | CZE | Paghiev, Mihail | MDA |
| Madoyan, Artash | ARM | Plantinga, Teun | NED |
| Acevedo, Pablo | ESP | Gniewkowski, Marek | POL |

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| Borosak, Mirna | CRO | Alves, Alfredo | POR |
| Gross, Gregory | ISR | Florea, Marius | ROU |
| Jeanny, Nobre Aurelie | FRA | Rogushkin, Maxim | RUS |
| Speakman, Adrian | GBR | Kralik, Andrej | SVK |
| Bardenhagen, Tim | GER | Kovrlija, Ana | SRB |
| Gerossideris, Efsthatis | GRE | Bakum, Andrii | UKR |

Referees provided by organising federation:

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| Stoychev, Yulian | BUL | Savcheva, Evelina | BUL |
| Milenchev, Vasil | BUL | Guelen, Burcin | TUR |
| Marincheshki, Nikolay | BUL | Atanasov, Rumen | BUL |
| Georgiev, Marian | BUL | | |

All referees and officials will be accommodated in Hotel Metropol.

II – Programme of the events (details can be modified)

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| 27 February | 09h00 | Start of initial weapon control Delivery of accreditation cards and athletes presence confirmation (on the venue) | |
| 27 February | 14h00 | DT Meeting – on the venue | |
| | 17h00 | EFC Cadets Circuit Meeting – Hotel | |
| | 18h00 | Posting of pools | |
| | 19h00 | Meeting of referees – Hotel | |
| 28 February | 09h00 | Foil men | Individual cadets 18h30 Opening Ceremony |
| | 13h00 | Sabre women | |
| 01 March | 09h00 | Epee men | Individual cadets |
| | 11h30 | Foil women | |
| 02 March | 09h00 | Epee women | Individual cadets |
| | 13h00 | Sabre men | |
| 03 March | 09h00 10h00 11h00 | Epee men, Foil men Sabre women | Teams cadets |
| 04 March | 09h00 09h00 11h00 | Epee women Foil women Sabre men | Teams cadets |

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| 05 March | 09h00 | Foil men | Individual juniors |
| | 13h00 | Sabre women | |
| 06 March | 09h00 | Epee men | Individual juniors |
| | 12h00 | Foil women | |
| 07 March | 09h00 | Epee women | Individual juniors |
| | 13h00 | Sabre men | |
| 08 March | 09h00 09h00 12h00 | Foil men, Epee men, Sabre women | Teams juniors |
| 09 March | 09h00 10h00 12h00 | Epee women Sabre men Foil women | Teams juniors + Closing Ceremony |

NB: detailed schedule will be published every day for following day by 16h00.

III – General and specific rules of Championships

The competitions are organised in **principle according to FIE Rules in force**. However, smooth running of competitions can require adopting appropriate measures and also it should be mentioned the following:

- 1) Name and nationality on the back of fencers for both, cadets and juniors are **OBLIGATORY**
- 2) National colours - optional
- 3) Video refereeing – will be available
- 4) In a respect of current FIE decision mask with visor is prohibited at ALL weapons**
- 5) Conductive bib of the mask for foil is obligatory
- 6) The EFC will continue the tradition of presenting winners of EFC Cadets Circuit Rankings in current season, who will obtain vouchers for purchase of fencing equipment.
- 7) Besides accredited delegation members also all others will be allowed to enter venues and follow competitions free of cost.
- 8) ENTRIES.**
 - a) **For cadet's individual and team events** the entries have to be made on **EFC web site**, where only registered fencers and referees in possession of **EFC license** for season 2016-2017 can be entered.

- b) **For junior´s individual and team events** the entries have to be made on **FIE web site**, where only registered fencers and referees in possession of **FIE license** for season 2016-2017 can be entered.
- c) Only federations who have **paid the annual membership fee** can register for Championships and can get their accreditation cards.
- 8) Entry fees were defined by the organisers as follows:
Individual events: 50 EURO
Team events: 140 EURO
Referees fee: 70 EURO

IV – Confirmation of presence and accreditation

- 1) **Final confirmation of participation at individual and team competitions must be done within delivery of accreditation cards (further only AC)**; this proceeding replaces any kind of confirmation of presence at the DT.
- 2) The AC will be distributed only to head of delegations, upon paid entry fees and possibly EFC membership fees. Head of delegation will receive nominative AC of athletes, officials and coaches according to recent FIE decision, which says that the quota became 75% of participating athlete's number but **all AC will be nominative** because of security reasons.
- 3) Only fencers equipped by AC can proceed to initial weapon control.
- 4) **Photos of athletes should be either uploaded to EFC web site (for cadet fencers competitions) or to FIE web site for juniors. That differentiation is due to the fact that cadets individual and team events are EFC competitions whilst junior individual and team competitions are FIE Junior World Cup competitions. Another possibility is sending those photos duly marked by name, country NOC code and competition to take part, and the same refers to officials and coaches, to provider of the system of accreditation to the address of Bulgarian Fencing Federation**
- 5) **The accreditation of fencers must be done not later than the day before concerned competition by 12h00.**

V – Individual competitions

Will be posted:

- 1) **at 13h00** the day before the event
 - a) List of participants by country

- b) List of participants by EFC/FIE ranking
- 2) **15h00** is deadline for possible complaints or giving up from competition to be submitted to the DT. No changes will be carried out after deadline.
- 3) **at 16h00** will be posted
 - a) Final version of pools
 - b) Detailed schedule of competitions, pistes and time assignment for the next day
 - c) Formula of the competition
 - on screens and on the wall
 - in boxes of delegations (only upon demand)
 - in official hotels (little bit later)
- 4) **Criteria for initial ranking of fencers**
 1. EFC Cadet Circuit ranking for cadets / FIE junior ranking for juniors
 2. The places of non ranked fencers will be randomly drawn.

VI – Team competitions

- 1) Initial ranking of **cadet teams** will be established upon current **EFC Teams Ranking**. Non ranked teams will be randomly drawn.
- 2) Initial ranking of **junior teams** will be established upon current FIE Junior World Cup ranking. Non ranked teams will be randomly drawn.
- 3) Then, FIE rules o.45 – o.47 will be applied.
- 4) All places up to 16 will be fenced.
- 5) Any modification concerning team's composition must be presented to the DT by 13h00 the day before the competition.

VII - Venue

Only concerned fencers, referees and piste personnel are entitled to enter inside of barriers. At Direct elimination phase also one coach per fencer can enter during one minute break between 3 minutes rounds.

Fencers have to keep their bags closed during their fighting of matches at reserved place.

Fencers and referees are entitled to enter inside of barriers to indicated pistes 10 minutes before the start of fights

VIII – Information points

- The main mean of information will be several plasmas, installed on the venue and information on Internet site: <http://fencingplovdiv.com/europe/>

- In a hall also information and results will be posted on the wall.
- Initial information concerning pools composition, including pistes and time indication, will be available also in official hotels.

IX – Results confirmation

- 1) Responsibility lies with the fencers at verifying results of pools and bout sheets of direct elimination in order to control correct registration of results. Several screens and posted documents will allow prompt control of results.
- 2) In order to avoid some mistakes DT will publish results of pools and list of qualified and eliminated fencers after pools. Any complaint should be brought to DT within a deadline of **5 minutes after published results**.
- 3) **No calls by microphone will be used.**

X - Organisation of direct elimination table

- 1) The fencers should be present in Call room 10 minutes before indicated time schedule.
- 2) **The winners of T 32 (last 16 fencers in DE) should immediately join the call room in order to deliver their equipment for the control preceding their next bouts.** However, if running of competitions will allow it, the fencers will go to pistes from Call room already from T32 with or without tested equipment.
- 3) Special places for coaches at direct elimination will be prepared, which will be used from the beginning of competitions and thus will be used also at pools and team events by the fencers.